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In re Application of

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Title: METHOD FOR TESTING A TESTABLE ELECTRONIC DEVICE

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 3 as follows:

3. (amended) A method as claimed in claim 1, wherein:

the step of serially communicating the first test data (102)

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Cm. X
is directed from the first test data channel (202, 402) to the first shift register (110, 210, 410);

the step of serially communicating the second test data (104)

is directed from the second test data channel (204, 404) to the second shift register (130, 230, 430);